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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the time period for responding to the outstanding Office Action mailed December 30, 2003, be extended for one month or until April 30, 2004. Enclosed is the Petition fee of \$55.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that are required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-2112.

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